Financial Education Tools

2019 TITLE VI CLUSTER TRAINING

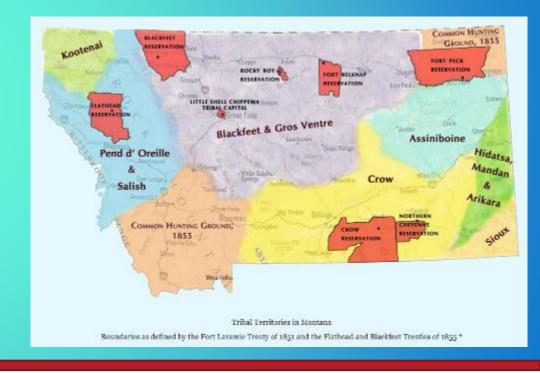
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National Indian Council On Aging

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Agenda

- Introduction
 - NICOA
- Stretch
- Your Money, Your Goals
- Money Smart for Older Adults
- Thinking About Money
 - Financial Coaching Handouts
 - Money Habitudes Card Game
 - Video: You Retired at 60?
- Discussion and Questions
- Thank you!



National Indian Council on Aging

Mission: to advocate for improved comprehensive health, social services and economic wellbeing for American Indian and Alaska Native Elders.

- Membership
- National nonprofit established over 40 years ago
- Job training program: SCSEP
- Elder Equity project
- DEC Caregiving Grant
- Conference every 2 years next one is August 17-21, 2020, in Reno, Nevada
- Coming Soon Long Term Services and Supports (LTSS) Grant!



Your Money Your Goals Toolkit







Organization of the Toolkit

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- Introduction
- Module 1: Setting Goals
- Module 2: Saving
- Module 3: Tracking Income and Benefits
- Module 4: Paying Bills
- Module 5: Getting through the Month

- Module 6: Dealing with Debt
- Module 7: Understanding Credit Reports and Scores
- Module 8: Choosing Financial Products and Services
- Module 9: Protecting your Money





Organization of the Toolkit – Modules 1-5

Introduction

Tool: Financial empowerment self-assessment

Tool: My money picture

Module 1: Setting Goals Tool: Setting SMART goals Tool: Putting goals into action Tool: Planning for life events and large purchases Handout: Revising goals

Module 2: Saving Tool: Savings plan Tool: Saving and asset limits Tool: Finding a place for savings Handout: Saving at tax time

Module 3:
Tracking Income and Benefits

Tool: Income and benefits tracker

Tool: Choosing how to get paid

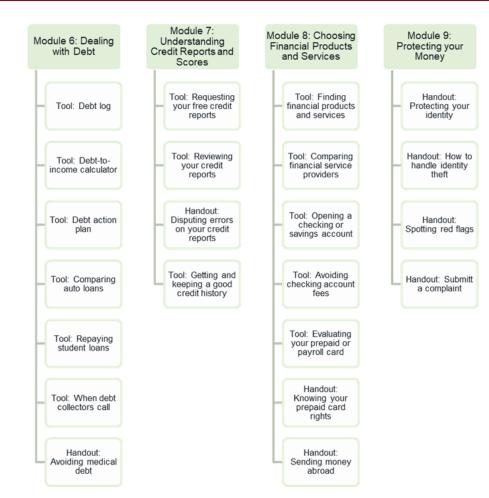
Tool: Increasing income and benefits

Module 4: Paving Bills Tool: Spending tracker Tool: Bill calendar Tool: Choosing how to pay bills Tool: Cutting expenses Tool: Prioritizing bills

Module 5: Getting through the Month Tool: Creating a cash flow budget Tool: Improving cash flow Tool: Adjusting your cash flow



Organization of the Toolkit - Modules 6-9





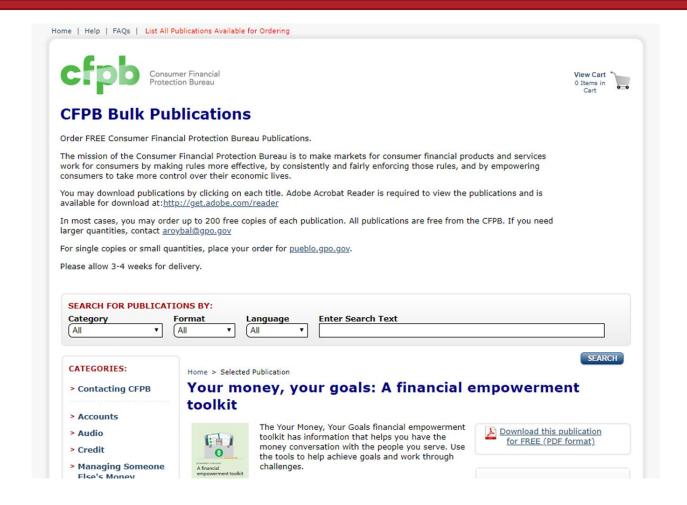
Your Money Your Goals Booklets



- Behind on Bills?
- Debt Getting in Your Way?
- Want Credit to Work for You?
- Building your Savings?



How to Order – Free!





Needs Wants, and Obligations

- Needs: things you must have to live
- Wants: things you can survive without
- Obligations: things you must pay because you owe someone money (a car loan or have been ordered to pay someone (child support)



OBJECTIVES

- Recognize and reduce the risk of elder financial exploitation
- Guard against identity theft
- Plan for unexpected loss of the ability to manage your finances
- Prepare financially for disasters
- Find other helpful resources on managing money and reporting financial exploitation



WHY ARE OLDER ADULTS AT RISK?



Some older adults may:

- Have regular income and accumulated assets
- Be trusting and polite
- Be lonely and socially isolated
- Be vulnerable due to grief from a loss
- Be reluctant to report exploitation by a family member, caregiver, or someone they depend on
- Be dependent on support from a family member or caregiver to remain independent



WHY ARE OLDER ADULTS AT RISK? (cont.)



Some older adults may:

- Be receiving care from a person with financial or other issues
- Fear retaliation by the exploiter
- Be unfamiliar with managing financial matters
- Not have planned for the potential loss of decision-making capacity
- Be cognitively impaired with diminished ability to make financial decisions or detect a fraud or scam
- Be dependent on a family member or another person who may pressure them for money



EXAMPLES OF FINANCIAL EXPLOITATION



Exploitation by an agent under a POA or person in another fiduciary relationship



Investment fraud and scams



Theft of money or property by family members, caregivers, or in-home helpers



Lottery and sweepstakes scams



EXAMPLES OF FINANCIAL EXPLOITATION (cont.)



Grandparent/ Imposter scams



Tax and debt collection scams



Charity scams



Telemarketer, mail offer or salesperson scams



EXAMPLES OF FINANCIAL EXPLOITATION (cont.)





Identify theft





Contractor fraud and home improvement scams



Who Can Help?

Adult Protective Services

For elder abuse, contact Adult Protective Services.

Find contact information <u>eldercare.acl.gov</u> or call 1-800-677-1116.

Local Police - 911

If someone is in danger or a crime has been committed, call the police.



Locating Money Smart Materials

https://www.fdic.gov/consumers/consumer/moneysmart/olderadult.html



Money Smart for Older Adults



Vea esta página en español

The Money Smart for Older Adults Program raises awareness among older adults and their caregivers on how to prevent elder financial exploitation and encourages advance planning and informed financial decision-making. Money Smart for Older Adults was developed jointly by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) and the Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection. The curriculum consists of an Instructor Guide, PowerPoint slides, and a take-home resource guide. Materials are available in both English and Spanish. The materials are available for immediate download at Money

<u>Smart – Teach – For Older Adults</u> (catalog.fdic.gov).

The activities are included in the Resource Guide.

- Instructor Guide PDF
- Slides PowerPoint
- Resource Guide PDF



Upcoming Events Money Smart Alliance Members Meeting November 21, 2019 Money Smart Train-the-Trainer session December 11, 2019 View All Events



Thinking About Money

HOUSEHOLD FINANCIAL SECURITY FRAMEWORK





Thinking About Money Financial Coaching Handouts

- Past Money Timeline
- Money Values
- The Miracle Question
- Priorities
- Beliefs and Emotions Around Money
- Limiting Beliefs Turnaround
- Stages of Change
- Wheel of Life
- Net Worth
- Money Timeline
- The Financial Wheel



Thinking About Money Money Habitudes Cards

Money Habitudes

- Turn the 3 blue cards over and place them in front of you as a sorting guide
- Put the yellow cards aside for now
- Shuffle the remaining cards
- Read each cards and place it in one of the three piles. Don't think about it too much and remember there are no right or wrong answers.
- When you are done put the 2 piles aside for That's not me and Sometimes, it depends...
- Take the That's me pile and turn the cards over and sort them by picture
- Observe how many of each type of card is in each pile
- Consult the yellow cards to understand what the cards in each group mean
- Look for patterns



Thinking About Money Money Habitudes Cards

- Security
- Spontaneous
- Status
- Giving
- Carefree
- Planning

- Money helps you feel safe, secure and in control
- Money encourages you to enjoy the moment
- Money helps you present a positive image
- Money helps you feel good by giving to others
- Money isn't a priority, you just let life happen
- Money helps you achieve your goals





"It's not all about the career or the money or the status. It's about how you are deeply, deeply connected to your ancestors and the ceremonies that bring you along."

Cassandra Manuelito Kerkvliet

Thank You!

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